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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): PACKET TRANSMISSION METHOD, NETWORK ELEMENT
AND ARRANGEMENT

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- ☒ 17 pages of Specification/Claims 1-12/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-3; 2 sheets) are attached.
- ☐ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to _____ is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and _____ reference(s).
- ☐ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____, filed _____. --



- ☐ Priority of foreign application No. _____ filed in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☒ Priority of U.S. Provisional Application(s) No. 60/474,676 filed June 2, 2003 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e).
- ☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

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